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2012 Fall Joint Meeting of the Ozone Transport Commission and the Mid-Atlantic Northeast Visibility Union

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The United States Environmental Protection Agency is announcing the joint 2012 Fall Meeting of the Ozone Transport Commission (OTC) and the Mid-Atlantic Northeast Visibility Union (MANE-VU). The meeting agenda will include topics regarding reducing ground-level ozone precursors and matters relative to Regional Haze and visibility improvement in Federal Class I areas in a multi-pollutant context.

DATES: The meeting will be held on November 15, 2012 starting at 9:00 a.m. and ending at 4:00 p.m.

LOCATION: The Madison, 1177 Fifteenth Street, NW, Washington, DC 20005; (202) 862-1600.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990 contain at

Section 184 provisions for the Control of Interstate Ozone Air Pollution. Section 184(a)

establishes an Ozone Transport Region (OTR) comprised of the States of Connecticut,

Delaware, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York,

Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont, parts of Virginia and the District of Columbia. The

purpose of the OTC is to deal with ground-level ozone formation, transport, and control within

the OTR.

MANE-VU was formed at in 2001, in response to EPA's issuance of the Regional Haze rule.

MANE-VU's members include: Connecticut, Delaware, the District of Columbia, Maine,

Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode

Island, Vermont, the Penobscot Indian Nation, the St. Regis Mohawk Tribe along with EPA and

Federal Land Managers.

TYPE OF MEETING: Open.

AGENDA: Copies of the final agenda will be available from the OTC office (202) 508-3840;

by e-mail: ozone@otcair.org or via the OTC website at http://www.otcair.org.

Dated:

October 10, 2012.

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